


**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ASSIGNING ALIAS  
NODE NAMES AND PORT NAMES WITHIN A TAPE  
LIBRARY  
Art Unit : 2185  
Examiner : Salva, Arpan P.  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on February 6, 2008, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on May 6, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in Listing of Claims which begins on  
page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.